

NEW: Introduction to the TB CIR Module in DRSi

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What's new in DRSi for Tuberculosis?

- The tuberculosis MER screen has been expanded with additional questions.
- New module: Tuberculosis Contact Investigation Reports (TB CIR) contains CIRs filled out by users for investigations conducted in response to a tuberculosis case.
- Why do we have a TB CIR module?
 - Per BUMEDINST 6224.8B (Tuberculosis Control Program),
 completed TB investigation reports should be provided to NMCPHC.
 - The TB CIR module in DRSi fulfills this requirement.



Who Should Use the TB CIR Module?

- All users should fill out as much information as possible when submitting a TB MER.
- MTFs should fill out a contact investigation report (CIR) if one is conducted.
- NEPMUs should fill out a CIR if they support or conduct a contact investigation in operational units.
- A CIR should be filled out regardless of whether a TB MER has been submitted. (Example: investigation following a civilian case or a contractor not seen in a military MTF)

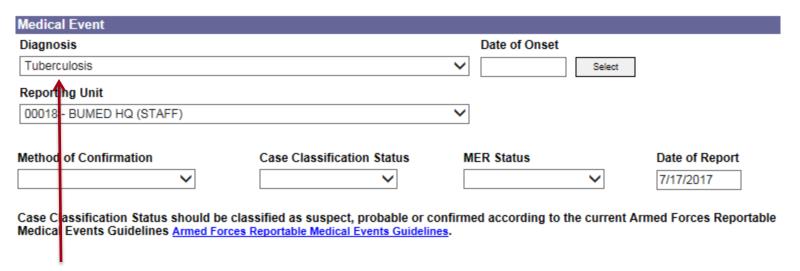
Accessing the TB CIR Module

- The TB CIR module is accessed from the DRSi home page, in the Medical Event Reports tab.
 - You can view and edit your TB CIRs from here.





FILLING OUT A TB MER AND CIR

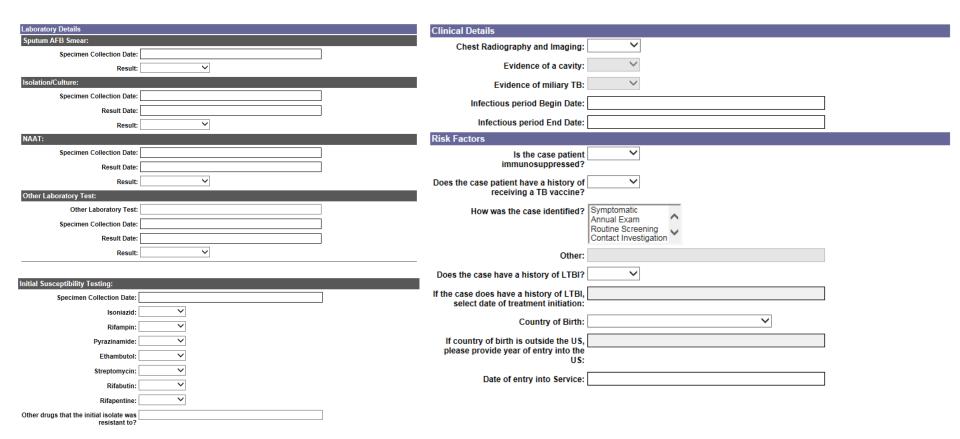


- 1. In a new MER, select "Tuberculosis" as the diagnosis.
- 2. Laboratory Criteria and Event Related Questions will appear based on the selected diagnosis. One new question for tuberculosis is:

Is an active TB case contact investigation being conducted? Selecting "Yes" will cause additional questions to appear:

Event Related Questions			
Is there evidence of multi-drug resistance (resistance to 3 or more drugs)?	○Yes ○No		
Was this exposure duty related?	○ Yes, non-deployment related ○ Yes, Deployment		
Pertinent travel?	○Yes ○No		
If there was pertinent travel, please select the countries of travel. (use ctrl-key to click all that apply)	Afghanistan - AF Africa - XA Albania - AL Algeria - AG		
Is an active TB case contact investigation being conducted?	○Yes ○No		





3. These new questions include items that will be relevant to a contact investigation, such as:

Laboratory testing: collection/result date, additional result options, and susceptibility testing

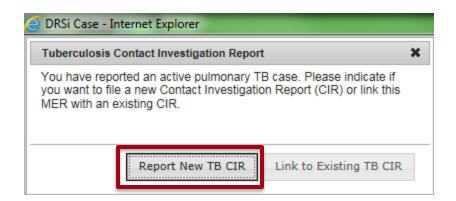
Clinical details: chest radiography and infectious period

Risk factors: immunosuppression, TB vaccine history, case identification, LTBI history, and

country of birth



4. After clicking "Submit" on the TB MER, the following pop-up window will appear. To initiate a new contact investigation report (CIR), click "Report New TB CIR". The CIR module will appear.



5. If the CIR was created via a MER, Index Case Information will be prepopulated from the corresponding fields within the MER for the patient. To update this information, return to the MER, make necessary corrections, and re-submit. Then return to the CIR and click:

SSN: 111111111	Last Name: johnjohn	First Nan doe	ne: FMP: 20 - Sponsor	Duty Status: Active Duty	Service Branch: Air Force
	Beneficiary Car	tegory:	Active Duty Service	Member	~
Sputum AFB	Smear				
Spec	cimen Collectio	n Date:	6/1/2017		
		Result:	Any Positive Result	~	
Culture					
Spec	cimen Collectio	n Date:	06/01/2017		
	Resu	It Date:	06/22/2017		
		Result:	Any Positive Result	~	
NAAT		L	7117 1 001270 1 100211		
Spec	cimen Collectio	n Date:			
	Resu	It Date:			
		Result:	Not Done	~	
Chest Radio	graphy and Imag	ging			
Chest Radi	iography and In	naging:	Abnormal 🗸		
	Evidence of	cavity:	Yes 🗸		
E	vidence of mili	ary TB:	No 🗸		
Infectious pe	eriod				
	Begi	n Date:	06/01/2017		
	En	d Date:			

6. The Contact Investigation Summary section allows entry of:

Reporting Unit

Location of the investigation

Lead agency/agencies of the investigation

Date the investigation was initiated

Setting of tuberculosis exposure

Contact Investigation Summary		
Reporting Unit:	00018 - BUMED HQ (STAFF)	
Original Reporting Unit:	00018 - BUMED HQ (STAFF)	
Date of Report:	7/17/2017	
Final Report:	○ Yes No	
Military Base/Installation/Unit(s) where the investigation took place:		
Investigation Lead Agency/Agencies:		
Date Investigation Initiated:		
Setting of tuberculosis exposure: (use ctrl-key to click all that apply)	Ship Shore Deployed Healthcare worker Daycare School OCONUS Other, please specify in comment section	



7. The Contact Investigation Summary also allows for entry about the contacts that were screened and tested as part of the investigation.

Note that the fields below "Number of Contacts" are greyed out. You will not be able to enter anything in these fields until a value is entered for "Number of Contacts."

Numbers entered here do not have to be final. Reporters can update these numbers as the investigation continues.

Number of Contacts:	
Number of contacts with a history of LTBI who were screened as part of the investigation:	
Number of contacts with a history of LTBI with signs and symptoms of active disease:	
Number of contacts who received at least one LTBI test as part of this investigation (TST or IGRA):	
Number of tested contacts who were newly positive for LTBI (positive TST or IGRA at primary or secondary testing):	
Number of screened contacts with active tuberculosis disease:	
Additional Comments:	



Additional Features

- Linking TB MERs to a CIR
 - When creating a CIR from a TB MER, that MER is "linked" to the CIR.
 - If other TB MERs are associated with the same contact investigation, they can also be linked to the CIR.
- Uploading associated files
 - CIRs are standardized so that all reports include the same information, but it is a limited amount of information.
 - The upload function allows reporters to upload briefs, powerpoints, formal reports, and other documents to provide additional details.
 - Provides context for future planning and NEPMU support.



CONTACT INFORMATION



Contact Information

- If you have questions about reporting a case of tuberculosis or conducting a contact investigation, contact your cognizant NEPMU:
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 - Email: usn.san-diego.navenpvntmedufive.list.nepmu5-health-surveillance@mail.mil
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Contact Information

- If you have questions about DRSi, such as account questions or issues with using the site, contact the DRSi helpdesk:
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